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RALPH DIES FROM WOUNDS

Man Shot by D. Worth Stanton Succombs at Hospital

JURY TO INVESTIGATE

Will Take Testimony at Police Headquarters at 8.30 Tonight—Ralph's Funeral Tomorrow at 5 p. m.

Jesse Ralph, thirty-five years old, who was shot early Monday morning by D. Worth Stanton, died about 1 o'clock this morning at the Alexandria Hospital. The bullet entered Ralph's abdomen and no hope was held out for his recovery from the time he was shot.

A coroner's jury, summoned by Dr. T. M. Jones, today viewed the body of Ralph at Wheatley's mortuary chapel after which it was adjourned over until 8:30 o'clock tonight at police headquarters when testimony will be heard.

The body of Ralph was taken to his late residence in Chestnut street, Rosemont, and prepared for burial.

Funeral services will be held at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at his late residence and the body will be shipped tomorrow night to Millington, Md., for burial.

Ralph located in Alexandria about the first of the year and was employed in the capacity of foreman of the anglesmith shop at the plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation and is said to have been one of the highest paid employes at that plant.

The deceased was a widower and leaves five children. The shooting took place at the residence of Ralph, and Stanton after being taken in custody was released on a bond in the sum of $2,000. Stanton at the time of the shooting claimed it was brought about because Ralph had disturbed his domestic happiness.

The coroner's jury summoned is composed of the following: Ralph A. Steele, Floyd D. Saunders, Geo. D. Hopkins, Thomas Chauncey, Arthur A. Paul, Oliver S. Stone.

FOR KINDERGARTEN

Concert to be Given May 29—Report of Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the executive board of the Alexandria Free Kindergarten was held at the residence of the president with all of the members in attendance.

The report from the kindergartner showed most gratifying results not only with the children, but the increased interest in the mother's meetings.

Contributions reported are Arthur Bryant, $12 and one dollar each from the following: Mrs. Frederick P. Russell, Mrs. Jones, Robert G. Graham, B. Baer, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire, Mrs. Clarence Keith, Miss Ashby, Mrs. Regester, Mrs. Duffey, Mrs. Harry Caton, M. B. Harlow.

Notwithstanding the numerous demands made on the citizens of Alexandria the board has been sustained by those of the community who feel the vital necessity of this work for children.

The board has again been able to secure for the annual entertainment the Friends' School Glee Club of Washington and feels confident of increased patronage for this concert which will be given Thursday, May 29. Funds derived from the entertainment will go towards liquidating indebtedness incurred by the board during the year.

FOUR REPORTED DEAD

Sanguinary Battle Said to Have Taken Place in Blue Ridge

Pulaski, Va., May 14.—Meagre reports have been received here of a drunken fued which took place near the Carroll and Floyd county line in the Blue Ridge mountains. It seems that four men of the name of Jackson, Mole and Sutphin had been hostile and designated the place for a Sunday meeting to settle their troubles. In the settlement fight two combatants were killed, two were so badly wounded that they died and a fifth was seriously wounded.

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SHIP CONTRACTS

Report of Cancellation Caused a Near Panic Among Employes of Yards.

A near-panic was caused by a wide spread announcement in the public press to the effect that the Shipping Board intended to cancel contracts for two million tons of steel ships now being built in American yards. Director General Piez upon retiring from the Shipping Board characterized this announced policy as a "policy of scuttle." Mr. Hurley, chairman of the Shipping Board, now emphatically denies any intention of "ruthless cancellation" of contracts and states that in reality is is only intended to so readjust our construction program as to eliminate certain undesirable types of vessels and substitute ships of greater tonnage. He further states that contracts for the new ships will be given out to those yards whose present contracts suffer cancellation.

It is readily seen that the policy of the Shipping Board is in accord with the policy of the administration to refrain from throwing large groups of labor out of employment. The shipyards of the country may count upon a continuation of the awarding of contracts sufficient to keep them busy for a long time to come.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE

Mrs. Morgan Securing Names of Women Here for Membership

Mrs. Faith W. Morgan, a vice president of the Equal Suffrage League of Virginia, is spending two weeks in Alexandria

She is getting names enrolled favoring the adoption of equal suffrage. There are absolutely no obligations attached to signing, and Mrs. Morgan has been most successful in many Virginia towns, having recently visited Staunton, Lexington, Harrisonburg. She has already secured several thousand signatures.

The Equal Suffrage League is in no way connected with the Washington picketers it is announced.

WALLIS PRIZE CONTEST

Paul D. Bowden and John F. W. Field Successful Contestants

The Wallis prize contest in extemporaneous public speaking opened last night to the full members of the senior class of the Episcopal Theological Seminary in the chapel of that institution.

There are two prizes offered on this foundation. The first prize was assigned to Paul D. Bowden, of the Episcopal diocese of West Texas, and the second to John F. W. Feild, of the diocese of Virginia.

The judges were Principal A. R. Hoxton, of the Episcopal High School, John Daniel, Willoughby Reade, of the High School faculty; Dr. Harryman and George C. Stuart.

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS

May Meeting Held Last Night at Residence of Mrs. T. W. Robinson

The May meeting of the Board of Anti-Tuberculosis Society was held last evening at the home of its president, Mrs. Thomas W. Robinson, in North Washington street.

The report made showed how widespread is the valuable work being done by the society, and also the need of co-operation by the citizens of Alexandria, that this work may be properly and effectively carried on.

Miss Shotts and Miss Bristow, the two nurses present at the meeting, reported that in April they had made 445 calls, 46 of which were tubercular patients.

JAIL TERM FOR COAL MAN

W. A. Price Gets 60 Days Besides $2,500 Fine for Overcharging

Baltimore, Md., May 14.—William A. Price, a coal operator with residences at 11 Fort Washington avenue, New York City, and Gormania, W. Va., was convicted in the United States court yesterday of violating the Lever act and the order of President Wilson fixing the price of bituminous coal. He was sentenced to 60 days in jail by Judge Rose and to pay a fine of $2,500.

It was alleged in the indictment that on August 30, 1917, he charged the Richmond Light and Railroad Company $2.90 a ton for 2,643 tons of bituminous coal. Under the President's order, the price should have been $2.

WILL NOT APPEAL WATER CASE

Square of Ground Purchased For School For Colored Children

E. C. DUNN RE-ELECTED

Report on Health Situation—Salary of Fire Drivers Increased—Other Business by City Council.

The city of Alexandria will not appeal from the decision of the state corporation in granting the Alexandria Water Company an increase in rates.

This was determined upon by city council last night after receiving a letter from Judge J. K. M. Norton, who was recently employed by the city to consider the advisability of appealing the case. Judge Norton in a letter to city council stated that he had investigated the record of the case and that he deemed an appeal inadvisable and a useless waste of money. Judge Norton stated in his letter that his expenses in the case were $100.

A letter from D. J. Howell, general manager of the water company, accompanied his report to Council.

A joint session was held at which time E. C. Dunn was re-elected city engineer for a period of two years.

A special committee appointed by city council reported that it had purchased a square of ground bounded by Wythe, Madison, Alfred and Patrick streets as a site for the new public school building for colored children at a cost of $7,500.

The annual appropriation for the coming fiscal year was read and Councilman Lawler asked that the $1,200 for chain gang be stricken out. Mr. Lawler said he did not think the gang does that amount of work in a year.

Dr. R. P. Sandidge, city health officer, in his monthly report made showed there were twenty-four deaths during April and 100 sanitary closets installed and fifty-one persons tapped sewers.

Resolution of Councilman Kaufmann to have the city engineer raze the frame structures in the south end of the city market building and that the fishmen in the future use the east end of the north wing of the city market was referred.

Resolution of Councilman Ruben to repeal health ordinance was referred.

Resolution of Councilman Kaufmann to increase the police force by four new members was referred.

The sum of $100 was appropriated to fix up two rooms in the city hall building for the use of the city health department

The sum of $50 was appropriated for the special committee to continue its investigation regarding the establishment of a home for paupers from the eighth Congressional district.

The pay of the drivers of fire apparatus was fixed at $100 a month. Resolution that the pay of the firemen and policemen be continued the same after June 1 was adopted.

The salary of the city auditor was increased to $1,500 a year.

Resolution appropriating $688.91 to finish paving for motorcycle and police patrol was adopted.

EXPERTS AT ROANOKE

French Commission in This Country to Inspect Electrified Railroads

Roanoke, Va., May 14.—A French commission sent to this country to investigate electrification of steam railroads conferred yesterday with officials of the Norfolk and Western Railway, which operates electric lines through the coal fields. The commission compriss 13 railway officials an delectrical experts, headed by Professor Mauduit, of Nancy University, and Major d'Anglards, representing the Ministry of Transports. Special study will be made of a number of lines.

PREPARED TO ATTACK

London, May 14.—Four hundred thousand Bolsheviki soldiers, completely equipped, plan to attack on all fronts, says a dispatch received here from Copenhagen.

MANASSAS GETS CASE

Virginia Inspector And Three Deputies, up on Murder Charge

Woodstock, Va., May 14.—The trial of Inspector W. C. Hall and his three deputies, State dry agents, under indictment here for the murder of two booze runners, will be held in Manassas, Prince William county. This change of venue, granted by Judge Whiting on petition of counsel for the defense, was welcomed by the law-abiding citizens here, for it was feared by some that a reappearance of the accused agents would revive some of the feeling and scenes that occurred shortly after the accused shot and killed Lawrence D. Hudson and Raymond C. Shackelford at Fishers Hill on March 26.

The agents will appear in Manassas today for a renewal of their bail, which is $10,000, and will probably be released. The affair, so far as this section is concerned, will then drift into history.

About 20 witnesses from this vicinity will have to be conveyed to Manassas when the trial comes up. No date has yet been set.

The defense tried to get an entire change of venue, but the grand jury here indicted the accused, finding a true bill of murder.

WILL BE SPONSOR FOR SHIP

Miss L. T. Herndon, Fredericksburg Accepts Launching Honor

Fredericksburg, May 14.—Miss Lucy Taylor Herndon, of this city, has received a telegram and letter from Acting Secretary of the Navy F. D. Roosevelt, requesting her to act as sponsor at the launching at Newport News on May 31 of the Herndon, a war vessel.

The ship is named for Commander William Lewis Herndon, of this city, who was in the United States navy before the civil war, and died when his vessel sank after saving the passengers at the cost of his own life. He was an uncle of Miss Lucy Herndon and Charles Herndon, of this city. Commander Herndon was among the first to explore the Amazon River, and was also an author of note. Miss Herndon has accepted the honor.

ITALY AND THE POWERS

Roman Delegates Evidence Willingness to Make Concession

Paris, May 14.—It developed this afternoon that Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, intended to ask permission to send German delegates to receive the Austrian representatives, according to the Havas agency. It has previously been announced that the Allies intended to keep the delegations wholly apart.

The Italian problem seemed nearer solution when today's conference began among the Allied representatives here and was thought probable that a basis of understanding would be reached during the day.

The Italian representatives are reported to be evidencing more of a willingness to make concessions. The discussions of the day began when Premier Orlando called this forenoon upon Col. E. M. House, of the American delegation.

The Council of Four held no meeting today. No further communications had been received from the German representatives at Versailles, and the exports to whom the last notes from Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau had been referred had not yet reported. President Wilson and the allied premiers devoted the forenoon to individual work.

BELGIANS DISAPPOINTED

Patriotic Societies Say Entente Has "Gagged" Country

Brussels, May 14.—A demonstration organized by a number of patriotic societies has sent addresses to King Albert expressive of the Belgian people's disappointment to find the country had been "gagged and mutilated" and is obtaining neither the guarantee nor the reparation promised by the Allies. The addresses complain that indemnities provided are inadequate and ask the King to "save Belgium from the ruin which threatens her."

MET HUSBAND AT MOVIE

New York, May 14.—"I met him in the dark at a movie and married him next morning," said Mrs. Mary Poslais, 17, testifying her husband had beaten her.

"Watch your step next time," said the magistrate dismissing the case.

TALK ON COUNCIL MANAGER PLAN

J. R. Caton Addresses Voters of First Ward Last Night

PRESENT SYSTEM BAD

Speaker Says Continuation of Prevailing Methods Will Result in Increased Taxation to Make up Deficit

A meeting of the First Ward voters was held in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd at eight o'clock last night to discuss city government and the advisability of adopting a business administration of affairs from this city. James R. Caton, chairman of the citizens' committee, made the principle address and discussed in detail all of the questions that have been raised in regard to the proposed form of government, and pointed out the many benefits that would accrue to the taxpayers of Alexandria by the application of business methods to our city's affairs.

He emphasized the fact that the present system had practically bankrupted the city and could not continue to exist except by continuing to raise the taxes to take care of the present deficit, and said he saw no reason why the Council-Manager Plan could not save many thousands of dollars for Alexandria as it had saved for other cities. Mr. Caton stated that he was a Virginian and had lived practically all of his life in Alexandria, had no political aspirations and was giving his time in this movement simply because he believed in it and knew that the adoption of a business system would be a great material benefit to the citizens of Alexandria.

Mr. Caton stated that he would be glad to meet and discuss publicly this question with any advocate of the present system of government. He stated that in initiating this movement the committee had endeavored in every way possible, in using every means of publicity, to get the facts of the matter before the voters of the city, but, that many of the opponents to the change had not worked openly and had attempted to confuse the minds of the public by stating that the five councilmen would receive large salaries, that the new form of government would be more expensive, and statements of like character, and that they had not come into the open with any of their reasons for opposing the change, and that they could not point to anything of tangible benefit in the old form that the Council-Manager form did not possess. He stated very clearly that he would be willing and glad to meet anyone on a public rostrum who sponsored retaining the present system.

Mr. Caton emphasized clearly that none of the five councilmen serving under the Council-Manager Plan would receive a single cent for their service, that the expense of an election would be only about $150, and that the salary of a City-Manager would have been saved last year in the intelligent handling of two or three matters that had cost the city thousands of dollars by too much deliberation and wrangling of the city council due to the system they had to operate under. The speaker emphasized the fact that it was not his intention to criticise the members of the city council or the city officials, but he did criticise very strongly the system of government, that it was bunglesome, unworkable, and a system absolutely incapable of meeting the present and future needs of the city.

The question as to whether the City Manager could be an Alexandrian, Mr. Caton answered in the affirmative, stating that it would be a reflection upon the intelligence of the citizens to say otherwise.

Other points he emphasized in his address were that the City Manager did not appoint or remove any of the financial and legal officers or clerical attendants of the council, that the council designated what departments the cities business should be divided into, and the head of these departments were appointed and could be removed by the City Manager, but, that each appointment or removal must be reported to the council at its next meeting. The City Manager could be removed at any time by the Council and that his appointment was at the will of the council. The Council-Manager plan originated in Virginia and is in operation in one hundred and thirty-two cities in the United States including eleven Virginia cities. That no city who had adopted this plan by the vote of the people had ever reverted to the old plan, but, were deriving great benefits from having an intelligent business system.

HUNS REJECT TERMS

Chancellor's Declaration Received With Hurricane of Applause

Berlin, May 14.—The declaration by Chancellor Scheidemann in the National Assembly yesterday that the peace terms were "unacceptable," brought the members of the assembly, the spectators and those in the press gallery to their feet in a hurricane of cheers and applause.

The Chancellor reached the climax of his statement on the peace terms 10 minutes after he began. The Chancellor paused in his address and then thundered out the word which announced the German Government's rejection of the Versailles conditions.

With the exception of the Independent Socialists, led by Hugo Haase, all factions in the Assembly arose and cheered vociferously. The Assembly is sitting temporarily in the assembly hall of the University of Berlin on Unter den Linden.

After the Chancellor's speech, the leaders of the various parties, with the exception of the Haase group made speeches in which they declared they backed up the Government.

The Chancellor described the peace treaty as a "dreadful and murderous" document. He said it would make an enormous jail of Germany in which 60,000,000 persons would have to labor for the victors in the war. The Chancellor said Germany's trade would be strangled should the peace terms be accepted.

He criticized President Wilson and said that the President, by his attitude, had deceived the hopes of the German people.

PEACE WITHOUT ITALY

Eleventh-Hour Clause Provides That Treaty Needs Few Signatures

Paris, May 14.—An eleventh hour clause in the treaty of peace with Germany provides that signature by the three chief allied powers will be sufficient to make peace an accomplished fact, it was semi-officially stated today.

This action has been taken, it is understood, to make the conclusion of peace possible in the event that Italy refuses to sign the treaty.

The clause is said to have been inserted on the eve of the Versailles session, when the Italian situation still looked very dark.

If the word "allied" is meant to include America, it would mean that the signatures of France and Great Britain along with that of the United States, would be sufficient to insure peace.

If America's signature is taken as a foregone conclusion and treated separately from the allies—which is more likely—it would mean that France, Britain and Japan would be the three chief powers.

AUTO FULL OF SHOT HOLES

Prohibition Officials, However, Fail to Find the Booze it Contained.

Winchester, Va., May 14.—A practically new automobile, deserted near Stephens City, after the license tag had been removed, has been taken over by the county authorities, who believe it was carrying contraband liquor. The machine contains a dozen or more bullet holes, and several broken bottles were found in the car. Residents of the neighborhood heard shots during the night.

EXPLOSION FATAL TO TRIO

Raleigh, N. C., May 14.—Three trainmen, were instantly killed at Method, five miles west of here, when the boiler of Seaboard Air Line engine No. 511 exploded at 1:50 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

NOTICE

Old Dominion Commandery No. 11

There will be a called conclave Wednesday, May 14th, at 7.30 p. m. Work—Red Cross and Malta. Uniform—Fatigue.

114-2t F. W. LATHAM, Secretary.

NEWS OF CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Funeral services for Richard H. Drowns were held this afternoon at his late residence, 327 South Patrick street, Rev. A. E. Speilman, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, officiating. Burial was in Union cemetery.

Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, this city, has been elected grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in Virginia which has just concluded its annual session in Richmond.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Connor took place this afternoon from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Sarah Javins, 537 South Fairfax street. Services were conducted by Rev. A. E. Speilman, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, and burial was made in Union cemetery.

It is reported that James R. Caton is a receptive candidate for the state senate from the fourteenth senatorial district to fill the vacancy caused by the declination of Senator R. Eweli Thornton to again run for the office.

LABOR DEADLOCK IN TOLEDO

Overland Co. And Striking Employes Reach no Agreement

Toledo, Ohio, May 14.—Despite the sudden breaking off of negotiations here yesterday between Mayor Cornell Shreiber and employes and officials of the Willys-Overland Automobile Company, where approximately 10,000 men were locked out last week when they refused to work 48 hours a week, it was stated last night that both company and the men had left the way open for further conferences.

Conferences between the Mayor the men and the company came to a sudden termination yesterday, after four days of negotiating. Neither the men nor the company would issue a statement, but Mayor Schreiber said no conclusions and been reached.

Mayor Schreiber will meet with union leaders again today. The lockout employes will hold a mass meeting to consider further plans.

Withdrawal of the savings of union men from Toledo banks and the establishment of a union bank with a state charter will be discussed Thursday night by the Toledo Central Labor Union. Toledo banks and business houses have gone on record as supporting the attitude of the Overland Company. Establishment of a co-operative general store for the benefit of the men will be discussed Sunday by the railroad brotherhoods. Union leaders yesterday appealed to all union men in Toledo to assist the unemployed men financially. Union women will hold a tag day Saturday to raise additional funds for their cause.

TO FIGHT POLAND

Danzig "Corridor" Turned Into Volcano of Unrest Over Night

Berlin, May 14.—The Danzig "corridor" has turned overnight into a volcano of unrest.

The Germans throughout East Prussia are arming to the teeth, ready to wage the supreme struggle with the Poles for the area which the peace treaty cedes to Poland.

The authorities in all East Prussian towns are warning all civilians to close their homes and stay indoors. Outbreak of "war to the knife" is looked for with certainty.

ASKS LIBERATION

Korea Submits Petition to Peace Conference

Paris, May 14.—A petition from the Korean people and nation asking for liberation from Japan was submitted to the Peace Conference yesterday by Representatives of Korea.

The petition also asks for recognition of Korea as an independent State and for nullification of the treaty of August, 1910.

EUCHRE AND ENTERTAINMENT

Mrs. C. Baader, 219 King street, Friday, May 16. Tickets, 50 cents. Benefit charity. Handsome prizes. 115-3t.

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A PERTINENT QUERY

It is a well known fact that this country never before had so much food on hand or in prospect. The storage warehouses are said to be full to overflowing, and the largest wheat crop on record is almost ready to be harvested. In a short time we shall have more food than we can eat or export. And yet there is comparatively little decline in prices.

Why should not one hundred millions of American consumers be allowed to benefit by this abundance asks a contemporary? "Why should not bread and meat become cheaper?

"Just now, when the American people are asking themselves this question we hear from Washington that "War Department officials are trying to unload more than 250,000,000 pounds of meat abroad to keep prices up in this country in accordance with the wishes of the packers." It seems that this represents meat left on the army's hands by the signing of the armistice earlier than expected, and that the packers have protested against its being auctioned off like all other war surplus If it cannot be exported, it will be turned back to the packers, it is stated, so that they can "dole it out" to the public at their leisure and at their own prices.

"We do not know how much truth there may be in these statements but on their face they have a bad look. With mountains of meat and bread around us, the cost of food products cannot with safety be kept up by arbitrary means.

OFFICIAL

Board of Aldermen

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen held Tuesday, May 13, 1919, there were present, F. F. Marbury, esq., President and Messrs. Anderson, Robinson, Ballenger, Wilkins and Batchellor.

The following papers received from the lower board and their action concurred in.

Resolution increasing the salary of the City Auditor to $1,500 per annum passed Ayes 6; Noes 0. Resolution regarding the dog licenses passed, Ayes 6; Noes 0. Resolution appropriating $688.91 to pay for patrol and motorcycle, passed, Ayes 6; Noes 0. Resolution continuing the present salary of the Fire Department and Police Department laid on the table under the rules. Ordinance directing the Mayor to sign quit claims for two lots in Geo. Washington Park recommitted to Finance to act in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney. Report from the Health Officer referred to Committee on Health Communication from the Chief Engineer stating that he had received $16.96 from Fairfax County to pay expenses for repairs to Auto Engine received. Plans for District Home for paupers. Petition from Mrs. Lynch for extension of sewer to Northwest Corner of Princess and Henry streets. Petition from Sundry Citizens for sewer southward on St. Asaph street so that property owners on the east side can tap same. The following petitions were received and referred to Committee on Streets From O. T. Blunt to erect garage on lot 109 on South Washington St., from J. G. Cockey to erect frame building in rear of 102 South St. Asaph street, from Belle E. Mudd, to erect a frame kitchen in rear of 33 North St. Asaph Street.

Resolution looking toward the razing of the frame shed used as a fish market referred to committee on Public Property. Resolution adding 4 new men to the Police Force referred to Police and Finance Communication from Judge Norton regarding the Alexandria Water Co., referred to Committee on Finance. Petition from Sundry Citizens for the extension of sewer on Prince street between Henry and Fayette referred to streets and finance. Petition from Geo. E. Parker for permission to remodel house No. 310 South Alfred street referred to Committee on Streets. Resolution appropriating 100 for the purpose of removing the Health Office also ordinance regarding the Health Laws referred to Health Committee. Communication from Corporation Attorney concerning the opening of Reinecker Lane referred Committee on Streets.

At this junction Mr. Desmond from the lower board appeared and invited the board of aldermen to joint session for the election of a City Engineer. the board returned and adjourned.

F. F. MARBURY, President.
W. W. Ballenger, Clerk Pro Tem.

Resolution regarding the increase in salary of Fire Department passed Ayes 6; Noes 0. Resolution appropriating $600 to standardize the fire hydrants in the city passed, Ayes 6; Noes 0.

Common Council

At regular meeting of the City Council of Alexandria, Va., was held May 13, 1919, H. R. Burke, esq., presiding. There were present Messrs. McCaffrey, Tyser, Ruben, Armstrong, Wattles, Desmond, Kauffman, Sullivan, Deavers Fletcher, Lawler, Ballenger and Baggett. In the absence of the Clerk D. R. Stansbury, W. C. Baggett acted clerk.

Report of Special Committee on location of ground for new school for colored children was received, the location being the square of ground bounded by Madison, Wythe, Alfred and Patrick streets. Price $7,500.

Report of Finance Committee on an appropriation of $50 for expenses of special committee appointed by Council to further look into the advisability of a district alms house. Passed Ayes 13; Noes 0.

Resolution appropriating the sum of $100 to put in shape the room in market building for the board of health was passed, Ayes 12; Noes 0.

Resolution increasing the pay and appropriating $40 for the drivers of the Fire Department to the end of the Fiscal year, Passed Ayes 14; Noes 0.

A resolution fixing the salary of the City Auditor at $1,500 per annum with no fees, passed, Ayes 14; Noes 0.

A resolution relieving the City Auditor from issuing dog license and giving the City Treas. the authority to issue same passed Ayes, 14; Noes 0

A resolution appropriating $688.91 for finishing payment on Police patrol wagon and motor cycle passed, Ayes 14; Noes 0.

Appropriation for a part of City Revenue for fiscal year ending May 31, 1920, was referred to Finance committee. A request from Geo. E. Parker for permission to remodel his property 310 South Alfred street and to place steps in front of same to extend four feet from building line was referred to committee on streets.

A communication relative to the opening of Reinekers lane was referred to Committee on Streets. A resolution directing Committee on Health and General Laws to submit recommendations and draw ordinances revising and remodeling the Health Department was referred to General Laws and Health Committee.

A resolution offered by Mr. Kauffmann for an addition of four men on the Police Force was referred to Police and Finance Committee. A request from Bell E. Mudd for permission to erect a frame kitchen 12x12 on premises 331 North St. Asaph street referred to Committee on Streets.

Resolution that City Engineer be instructed to have frame now used as a fish market razed, and that the fish dealer hereafter use the East end of the North wing of the City Market Building for their business, referred to committee on Public Property and Finance.

A petition to tap sewer on Prince street between Henry and Fayette by the property owners in that neighborhood was referred to committee on Streets and Finance.

A communication from J. K. M. Norton setting forth in his opinion the uselessness of taking an appeal against the Alexandria Water Co. and also requesting his expenses of $100 be paid by the City and that he charged no fee. Referred to committee on Finance.

A petition for permission to erect a frame shed in the rear of 102 south St. Asaph street by J. G. Cockey, referred to committee on Streets.

A petition from property owners in the square bounded by Princess, St. Asaph, Queen and Pitt for a sewer, referred to committee on Streets.

A petition from Mrs. Alice Lynch for the extension of sewer to the northwest corner of Princess and Henry streets.

A report from the Health Department for the month of April was received and referred to committee on Health.

A resolution increasing the wages of the drivers of the Fire Department, beginning, immediately to the end of the Fiscal year was passed, Ayes 12; Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating $600 for standardizing the fire hydrants in the city of Alexandria passed Ayes, 12; Noes 0.

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor to sign, acknowledge and deliver under the seal of the City of Alexandria a deed or deeds for certain lots in the Sub-division known as George Washington Park upon certain conditions was referred to committee on Finance. To act in accordance with the Corporation Attorney.

A communication from Chief of Fire Department advising Council that the sum of $16.96 had been turned over to City Treasurer for damages to Motor Truck January 1st, 1919.

Joint Session then elected E. C. Dunn City Engineer for another year.

H. R. BURKE, president.
W. C. Baggett, Clerk.

KEPT HER AWAKE

The Terrible Pains in Back and Sides Cardui Gave Relief

Marksville, La.,—Mrs. Alice Johnson of this place writes: "For one year I suffered with an awful misery in my back and sides. My left side was hurting me all the time. The misery was something awful.

I could not do anything, not even sleep at night. It kept me awake most of the night. I took different medicines, but nothing did me any good or relieved me until I took Cardui.

I was not able to do any of my work for one year and I got worse all the time, was confined to my bed off and on. I got so bad with my back that when I stooped down I was not able to straighten up again. I decided I would try Cardui. By time I had taken the entire bottle I was feeling pretty good and could straighten up and my pains were nearly all gone.

I shal lalways praise Cardui. I continued taking it until I was strong and well." If you suffer from pains due to female complaints. Cardui may be just what you need. Thousands of women who once suffered in this way now praise Cardui for their present good health. Give it a trial.

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Ten dozen oil opaque and Holland window shades, $1.00 to $1.50 value. Remnant price Thursday each 49c
200 yards India Linen 30-inches wide, 19c quality. Remnant price Thursday yard 10c
Regular 50c plain white Nainsook, 36-inches wide. Remnant price Thursday yard 29c
500 yards light percales 36-inches wide, 35c quality Remnant price Thursday yard 25c
Twenty dozen ladies black fibre silk hose, size 9 and 9½. Regular 50c quality. Remnant price Thursday pair 35c
50 dozen Kings Black Basting Cotton, 200 yards to the spool. Remnant price Thursday spool 1c
Women's $1.98 glove silk camisoles. Remnant price Thursday each $1.49
Women's 75c Lisle Slate Color Hose, all sizes. Remnant price Thursday pair 59c
Children's 35c fancy top Socks, all sizes. Remnant price Thursday pair 25c
Women's Regular $2.50 house Aprons. Remnant price Thursday each $1.69
Two Women's fibre silk sweaters former price $10.00 Remnant price Thursday each $5.00
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Oyster Cocktail Glasses, a dozen $7.50
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I believe a man may be down,
but he's never out.
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Give to the Salvation Army Home Service Fund

FLAYS UNITED STATES

Writer Attacks Wilson and Monroe Doctrine and Calls America Prussia of Tomorrow

Rio Janeiro, May 14.—An attack upon the United States is made by Mesquita de Albuquerque, generally considered one of the leading journalists of Brazil, in a long interview printed in A Noite.

Senior Albuquerque, who has just arrived from the United States, says: "I return from the United States with much enthusiasm for England, Italy, France, Belgium, Japan and perhaps above all Mexico."

He accuses the United States of "fomenting revolutions in Mexico," and says that "Brazil is considered by the United States only as a possible future colony." He adds:

"The United States wants to obtain as part of the payment of the debt of France and England a bond for Brazil's debt to those Powers. On the day this is realized Brazil will be sold to the United States, which on the first occasion we fail to meet the interest will do to us as she has done to Central American nations."

Senior Albuquerque belittled the part the United States took in the war, saying that the only American victory was the battle at St. Mihiel, which he says was "gained with English artillery and French aviation."

He attacks the Monroe Doctrine and President Wilson, ridiculing the President's activities in the Peace Congress. He concludes by saying: "The United States ostensibly is the Prussia of tomorrow."

KAISERIN HOMESICK

Undoubtedly For Her Sake That Wilhelm Asked for Palace

Berlin, May 14.—The Palace of Cadinen, in East Prussia, on the shores of the Baltic, to which William Hohenzollern has asked Germany that he be permitted to return, is the favorite residence of the former Empress of Germany. It is undoubtedly due to her desire to leave their Holland exile for the Fatherland that the former Emperor has made his request.

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Various styles, lace ribbon, and embroidery trimmed, some with square neck and short sleeves.

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Regular prices $1.98. Sale prices at $1.39
Regular prices $2.98. Sale prices at $2.19

INFANTS LONG DRESSES

Some lace and embroidery trimmed others with shirred yoke and cuffs.

Regular prices 75c. Sale prices at 55c
Regular prices $1.98. Sale prices at $1.25
Regular prices $1.00. Sale prices at 79c

INFANTS SLIPS

Infants to 2 year sizes

Regular prices 75c. Sale prices at 49c
Regular prices $1.00. Sale prices at 75c
Regular prices $1.50. Sale prices at 95c

INFANTS MUSLIN GOWNS

Infants to 2 year sizes

Regular prices 50c-59c. Sale price at 39c
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Regularly $1.00, $1.50, $1.98 at 75c, $1.19, $1.49

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Regularly $1.25, $1.50, $1.98 at 95c, $1.13, $1.49

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Regularly 25c, 59c, at .. 19c, 39c

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Regularly $1.25-2.49 at 83c, $1.69

BIBS

Quilted lace trimmed and Turkish bibs. Regularly 15c, 19c, 25c at 10c, 13c, 17c

White Goods

36-inch white figured voiles. regularly 49c to 89c at 33c to 59c

White striped madras. Regularly 45c at 29c

27-inch white dimity. Regularly 25c at 11c

32-inch plaid dress ginghams, short lengths. Regularly 25c at 19c

27-inch outing flannel, plain, stripes and checks. Regularly 35c at 23c

27 to 36-inch flowered cretonne. Regularly 39c at 29c

24-inch navy blue flannel Regularly 25c at 9c

36-inch white skirtings, plain and striped. Regularly 59c to 85c at ..... 39c to 55c

AMERICAN LADY CORSETS

A small assortment of discontinued numbers, sizes 18, 19, 20. Regularly $3.50 at $1.39

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Black, white, tan, grey and navy all sizes. Regularly $1.50 at 69c

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for rent for men only. Apply to 115 Prince street. 108-1mo.

Wanted—10 women to distribute coupons in Alexandria. Salary $2.00. Call at Gazette office between 6 and 8 p. m. Tuesday and ask for Mr. Fair. 114-1t.

Wanted— 5 passenger Ford, 1917 or 1918 model. Must be in first class condition and cheap for cash. Address "Ford" care of Gazette office. 114-2t.

For Rent—Large front room for gentlemen, all modern conveniences desirable location, cafe directly opposite. Apply 906 King street. 114-2t.

One good heavy delivery wagon, for sale cheap. Apply to Swift and Co., Prince and Union streets. 114-3t.

PRIVATE SALE

Household Furniture of James Roche, 707 King Street

Parlor, beautiful dining room set, kitchen furniture, cooking utensils, bed room furniture and bed clothing, rugs, tables, china and glassware. Can be seen any time during day at 707 King street. Will be sold at a sacrifice. 114-7t.

For Rent—Two unfurnished rooms for light house keeping, cheap, Apply 212 South Pitt street, between 5 and 10. p. m. 115-1t

The Economy Shop—Pure country butter, 55c lb.; fresh eggs, 50c doz.; Ham, 40c lb.; 100 lb. sack sugar $9.65; fancy shoulders, 30c lb. J. E. Purcell, 117 South Henry street. Phone 567W. 115-3t

Wanted—Men's second-hand clothing and shoes, call or write Wolfson, the tailor, 106 north Fairfax street. Cleaning, pressing and repairing work done while you wait. 115-4t.

HouseKeeping Apartments—Handsomely furnished, immediate possession, spacious florat grounds, refined locality for people of quality. Best references required. Rent from $8.00 to $16.00 Weekly. Agnew Court Apartment Hotel, 310 South Pitt street. 115-4t.

For Sale—Indian motorcycle; twin cylinder; A-1 condition; will sell cheap. Apply at 1225 Oronoco street after 5 p. m. 115-1t.

Lost—A building association book, since March 21, 1919. Finder please return to 513 South Henry street. 115-3t.

Wanted—Young man in the Jewelry repairing department. Good salary Castlebergs. 935 Pa. Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C. 115-3t

FOR RENT—Apartment for rent, four rooms and bath. Apply at Rosenfeld's Dry Goods Store, 518 King street. 115-4t.

FOR RENT—Centrally located three story attractive brick dwelling containing ten rooms, two baths and modern improvements, handsomely furnished. Large lot and side yard and porch. Rent $125 a month. Address Box 100, care of Gazette Office. 115-3t

LOST—On May 13, at night, between Alexandria and Washington, one card case, 1919 pass. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dyer, 2 one dollar bills, some old passes and other valuable papers $5. Reward if returned to L. M. Dyer, P. O. Box 33, city.

WANTED—A good second hand iron safe in No. 1 condition. A. W. Devers, 123 South Fairfax street. 115-4t.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also two unfurnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Call after 6 p. m., at 424 North Peyton street. 115-4t.

FOR RENT—A large room, furnished; near bath. Address Box 25, Care of Gazette Office. 115-1t

FOR SALE—Overland car, 1917 model 5 passenger, can be seen after 5:30 p. m. Apply at 100 North Fayette street. 115-1t

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Douglas Stuart, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present their statement properly certified for settlement. All persons indebted to the deceased will please settle promptly.

RICHARD B. WASHINGTON, esq. 114-10t.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Of Desirable Presidential Property

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated May 2nd, 1919 and recorded in Deed Book No. 62, page 558 of the Alexandria City Land Records, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby and being requested so to do by the holder of the principal note so secured, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Royal Street entrance of the Market House in the City of Alexandria, Virginia on SATURDAY, MAY 24th., 1919, at 12 oclock noon, the following described real estate:

All that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows—Beginning on the west side of Pitt Street at a point 85 feet, more or less, north of Duke street, running thence north on Pitt street 15 feet 10 inches, more or less, to the center of the partition wall between this house and the house adjoining on the north, runnng thence west parallel to Duke Street 100 feet; thence south 15 feet 10 inches, more or less; thence east 100 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, together with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining, being known and designated as No. 227 South Pitt street.

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TERMS TO AUSTRIA

Peace Treaty Now Nearing Completion—New Frontier Gives Italy Advantage

Paris, May 14.—The peace treaty with Austria is nearing completion and an official summary of it is being prepared, as was done in the case of the German treaty.

Although it is not so stated in the treaty, the new Austrian frontier is the one designated by the secret treaty of London, giving Italy all the strategic heights and defensive passages.

Paris, Saturday, May 10.—The French Foreign office having been informed that the Austrian peace delegation might be expected to arrive on Wednesday, work is being hastened on the delegation's quarters at St. Germainen-Laye, where the palace of Francis I. is being put in order for the reception of the visitors. Used for years as a museum, it contains a wonderful collection of Gallic relics ranging from prehistoric times to the era of the Gallic kings. Experts are busy removing the glass-covered tables and cases containing flint weapons, bronzes, bangles, pottery and other priceless collections to provide space for the meetings of the Austrian plenipotentiaries.

POTOMAC RIVER OVERFLOWS

Navigation on C. And P. Canal is Held up—Water Recedes

Williamsport, Md., May 14.—The Potomac river is badly swollen from the recent heavy rains. The river overflowed, flooding the bottom lands and causing delay in navigation on the Chesapeake and Potomac Canal, preventing boats from passing through slackwater. The water in the river fell yesterday. Antietam and Conococheague Creeks also are swollen.

OFFICERS JAILED

Chilean Army Leaders Accused of Plot to Establish Dictatorship

Buenos Aires, May 14.—Dispatches received here concerning the dissensions in the Chilean army, which led the president to place three generals on the retired list, say that more than 60 officers of the army are under arrest. The arrests came after the discovery of secret political activity by army officers.

It was planned, the dispatches say, to establish a military dictatorship on June 1 and to call selections for a new president. The accused officers declare they were concerned only "in saving the government from a proletarian movement."

Generals Moore and Armstrong are quoted as saying the agreement was "to maintain order, "even if a military dictatorship was necessary."

URGES END TO LYNCHINGS

Sociological Congress at Knoxville Adopts Resolutions.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 14.—The Southern Sociological Congress, in session here yesterday, passed the following resolution:

"We strongly condemn lynching and mob rule, which are both un-American and subversive of law and order.

"We especially call upon the editors of our papers, the ministers of our churches and the teachers in our schools and colleges to proclaim against these practices, which constitute both a disgrace and a menace at home and also discredit American democracy abroad.

"We urge the immediate exercise of all possible State and Federal power to put a speedy end to these outrages throughout the country."

Thomas Jesse Jones, of the United States bureau of education, and the Phelps Stokes fund, spoke on the nation's responsibility for giving the negro a man's chance.

TO MARCH THROUGH PARIS

Triumphal Procession of Allied Armies Will Take Place June 6.

Paris, May 14.—A triumphal march of the Allied armies through Paris will take place June 6, according to the present understanding.

The event will occur on that date, it is believed, even should the peace treaty not have been signed at that time.

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Never a suit season on the world's calender has sought the heart of women with such success as has this spring at Farley's charming new thoughts witched out at a price you did not not dream of in such times as these. That is the idea and that is the stores success.

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We do not know what the price of coal will be next Fall and Winter, as the retail price is governed by the price at the mines and the freight.

Our understanding of the present program is that Anthracite coal will advance ten cents a ton a month from May 1st to September 1st, and although we think this program will probably be carried out yet we are not sure of this.

We do know that THE MINES CANNOT PRODUCE, THE RAILROADS CANNOT HAUL AND THE DEALERS CANNOT HANDLE nearly enough coal during the Fall and Winter months to take care of an ordinary Winter's demand.

This means that coal will have to be mined, transported and delivered during the Spring and Summer to avoid a serious shortage next Fall and Winter.

We advise our customers to take these facts into consideration and order a reasonable supply of coal now.

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HIS HOME DYNAMITED

Man With German Name Also Gets Threatening Letter

Frederick, Md., May 14.—The store and dwelling of E. W. Shultz, Knoxville, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, was partly wrecked by dynamite shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night. Every window glass was blown to atoms and buildings in the neighborhood were shaken by the force of the explosion. Shultz and his family, asleep on the second floor, escaped uninjured. Yesterday morning Shultz received the following letter—in disguised writing: "This is a warning to all Germans. If not out of town by May 25 you will be blown to h—.' Signed, A Friend. The letter was mailed at Knoxville, postmarked May 12.

James Harrison, who conducts a store on the opposite side of the street, was nearly knocked down by the concussion. The charge tore a large hole in the porch and wrecked the front of the house. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the act. Schultz has been a resident of the town for a long time, and did not know that he had an enemy.

PARRAL IN HANDS OF VILLA

Rebel Chief Frees Garrison of 260 —Tells Them to go to Work

El Paso, Texas, May 14.—According to information received here from Parral yesterday, Francisco Villa retook that city Thursday and made prisoners of the garrison of 260 men under Col. Gomez, who had occupied the town but two days before.

The garrison was outnumbered and made little resistance. Repeating his action when he took Parral on Easter Sunday, Villa freed the prisoners and told them to go to work. Casualties were high on both sides.

Col. Gomez, commander of the garrison of Parral, escaped during the engagement. Villa commanded the attack in person. The exact number of men in his command was not known.

FARMER KILLED BY BULL

Gettysburg, Pa., May 14.—Amos S. Fissel, aged 53, an Adams county farmer, is dead at his home near Arendtsville as the result of injuries received Sunday afternoon when he was attacked by an angry bull. He was tossed by the animal for some minutes before his wife and son were attracted by the noise and beat off the bull with shovels.

Mr. Fissell suffered great loss of blood through the main artery in his right leg, which was torn. First aid was given by his son, Emory Fissel, formerly in the medical corps of the army, which prolonged his life for many hours. Fifteen minutes before he died he regained consciousness and told the story of the encounter. He leaves his widow and four sons.

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(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:37 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:15 a.m.
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	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:53 p.m.
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	Washington-Birmingham	
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7:17 p.m.	—N. Y.-Augusta-Aiken	7:15 a.m.
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10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:25 a.m.
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11:02p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.

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South.		North.
	New York-Jacksonville	
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	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:47 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
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	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
3:32 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:00 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:17 p.m.	(Local)	8:37 p.m (‡)
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
6:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12:45 p.m.
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
8:07 p.m.	(S. A. L.	9:15 a.m.
9:37 p.m.	Wash.-St.Pet'burg-Tampa	9:05 p.m.
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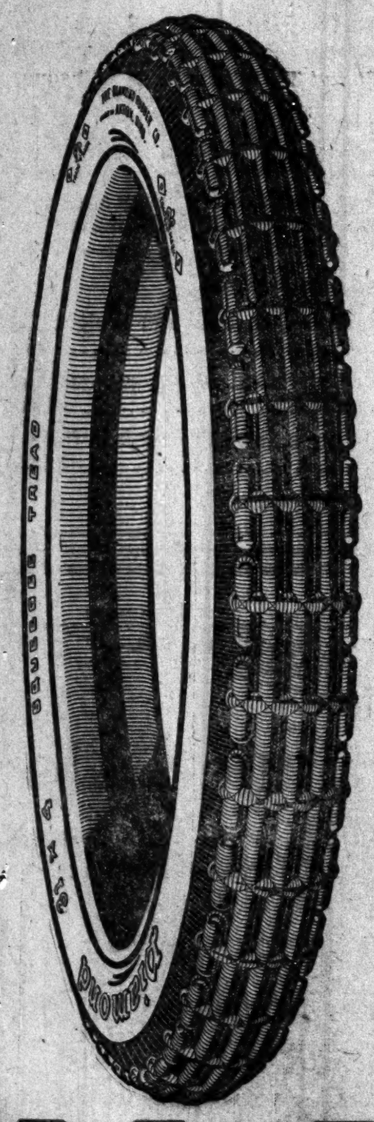

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"The Foolish Age," a new Mack-Sennett comedy also will be shown. It has a cast composed of Chester Conklin, Louise Fazenda, James Finlayson and Phyllis Haver. The story deals with the love affairs of a blacksmith and his helper who have a merry time of it trying to win a woman with a big bank account. Both are finally cast aside by Louise, the finish coming after a series of highly diverting incidents.

INGOMAR—"GINGER."

"Ginger" is the title of the new World Picture, which shows at the Ingomar Theatre tonight. "Ginger" is the story of three men and a girl. The three men are all in love with the girl, whose pet name is "Ginger." One of them is her foster father, another is this man's son and the third is a young man who was her childhood companion in the sordid locality where she was brought up. The lives of the three come together in a strange manner, and the climax of the production occurs at Chateau Thierry. There are a number of extremly striking scenes in this picture and the story is interesting and entertaining from start to finish.

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GRAND THEATRE

The courtroom scene used for the famous trial in Mark Twain's undying story, "Pudd'n-head Wilson," which will be the Paramount offering at the Grand Theatre tonight with Theodore Roberts in the title role, is an exact reproduction of the courtroom in the old courthouse at Palmyra, Missouri. This was reproduced from before the war sketches made before the old building was destroyed. While this is not the exact courtroom in which the author placed his famous trial, the description tallies exactly with the one Mark Twain described in his notes concerning "Pudd'nhead Wilson." Also Houdini in the Master Mystery.

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